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To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: S. SAWADA et al

For:
COMMUNICATION APPARATUS FOR ROUTING OR DISCARDING
A PACKET SENT FROM A USER TERMINAL

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 30 Sheets of Drawings
- ☒ This application is being filed without an executed Declaration.
- ☒ Priority is claimed from Japanese Application No. 2000-195706
filed June 29, 2000 ☐ A certified copy is attached herewith.
- ☒ Copies of the disclosure documents listed on the attached PTO 1449 form and
☒ discussed in the specification or ☐ attached Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☒ Specification: Abstract ☒, Description 92 pages; and 5 claim(s).
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
- ☐ Executed Declaration.

The filing fee is calculated as shown below:

For:	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	5 - 20 =	* 0
Indep Claims	3 - 3 =	* 0
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Small Entity

Rate	Fee
	\$ 355
x 9	\$
x 40	\$
+ 135	\$
Total	\$

Large Entity

Rate	Fee
	\$ 710
x 18	\$ 0
x 80	\$ 0
+ 270	\$ 0
Total	\$ 710

☒ A check in the amount of \$ 710.00 is enclosed for the filing fee.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required to
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